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REMARKS

Applicants have filed a Notice of Appeal and are hereby cancelling claims 15-20 to thereby reduce the number of issues on appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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